

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Raj P. Singh Gaur

Serial No. 10/709,219

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Examiner: J. Fiorito

For: Tantalum Concentrates Dissolution and Purification Method

November 21, 2006

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sirs:

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT
APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed on 8/24/2006 finally rejecting 1-12 in the above-identified application.

Please charge the required fee to Deposit Account 15-0685.

Respectfully submitted,

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